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## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE ACTION

In response to the Final Office Action mailed February 14, 2008, please consider the claim amendments outlined below, in conjunction with the accompanying remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page two (2) of this paper.

Remarks begin on page twelve (12) of this paper.